

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2135  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2007, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.